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For: **Jak Kinases and Regulations of Cytokine Signal Transduction**

Inventors: Ihle *et al.*

YOUR REF: 09/397,967

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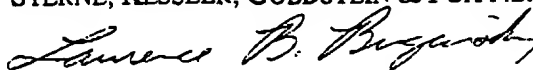
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Respectfully submitted,

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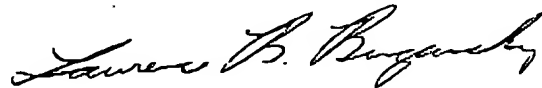
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Respectfully submitted,

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